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Weekly Summary Report

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1. Following a ground reconnaissance of the area by a survey team comprised of representatives from the War Plans Division, PPC/DDP and the Office of Training, a tentative site for a wartime unilateral training base in the [REDACTED] was selected. Negotiations were left open in order that an attempt may be made to secure an area with weather conditions more suitable for the air phases of the training.

2. The first presentation of the War Plans Staff Course began on Monday, 25 October, with fifteen students enrolled from the following components: five from PPC/DDP; two from the Office of Training; two from SR Division; and one each from WE Division, FI/Plans, Technical Services Staff, Logistics, Office of Communications and the Medical Office. The students on the whole are from the higher levels, are an alert group, and apparently very much interested in and responsive to the course materials. Inasmuch as various individuals have been working up these materials over a period of three years, the Office of Training is pleased to be able to inaugurate this course.

3. The initial presentation of the Anti-Communist Operations Course also began on 25 October. The ability and scope of experience of the Chief Instructor, Mr. [REDACTED] made preparation of the course material possible within a short time, and there is every indication that this course will meet a significant requirement of the Clandestine Services.

[REDACTED] Office of Training, received from the [REDACTED] Field Project Outline, plus a headquarters rewriting for use in Phase III. In addition, Mr. [REDACTED] has solicited WE Division for the release of a case on induced defection for illustrative purposes in the Anti-Communist Operations Course.

5. An area seminar on the Soviet Union, to be delivered in the Russian language, is now ready for presentation. This series,

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planned and organized by the Office of Training, began on Wednesday, 3 November, and will continue through May of 1955. The lectures have been subscribed up to capacity (40 persons) and a number of persons are now on a waiting list for enrollment in case of cancellations. Two similar programs to be conducted in the French and German languages are being readied for presentation in January.

6. The Motion Picture Section, Office of Training, has completed the survey of proposed filming sites for Film Production No. 2, Recruitment. The film treatment will be completed about 3 November for submission to the Director of Training and technical advisers in DD/P.

7. Plans have been completed for filming a ten-minute talk on security by the Director of Central Intelligence during the week of 1 November. This film is part of a new security indoctrination program being prepared by the Office of Security with the assistance of OTR.

8. Procedures have been developed, in collaboration with the Logistics Office, for stockpiling small quantities of explosives and incendiaries at [REDACTED] to facilitate issue of these items by the Logistics Office for rush orders. Full coordination should be accomplished on this matter by 5 November and the materials for stockpiling are expected to be delivered to [REDACTED] by the first of December. 25X1A6b 25X1A6b

9. Maritime Operations Course (MOC) No. 3 ended Friday, 22 October 1954, with ten full-time students completing the course. Several factors contributed to making MOC No. 3 the most successful running to date of the new Maritime Operations Course: 1) the fact that for the first time, the entire presentation was made at [REDACTED] and 2) the successful inclusion, for the first time also, [REDACTED] 25X1A6b

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10. The Office of Training presented a briefing for Colonel Alva R. Fitch, USA, newly appointed Executive Officer to General Arthur G. Trudeau, G-2. Colonel Fitch requested similar briefings for members of his staff.

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